WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC

ORDER NO. 9072

IN THE MATTER OF:		Served October 21, 2005
Application of ANDYSON HEALTHCARE)	Case No. AP-2005-103
SERVICES for a Certificate of)	
Authority Irregular Route)	
Operations)	

The application of Andyson Healthcare Services for a certificate of authority was accepted for filing on July 11, 2005. Notice of the application was published by the Commission in Order No. 8872 on August 3, and by applicant in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District on August 10, 2005. A request to withdraw the application was filed by applicant on September 29.

The request to withdraw shall be granted. "The Commission cannot require one to apply for any specific operating authority, or to continue to pursue an application already filed, if he is under no legal compulsion to furnish the services."

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED, that the application of Andyson Healthcare Services for a certificate of authority is hereby dismissed.

FOR THE COMMISSION:

William S. Morrow, Jr. Executive Director

In re Malek Investment of Virginia, Inc., t/a Montgomery Airport Shuttle, No. AP-99-11, Order No. 5706 (Sept. 22, 1999) (quoting Montgomery Charter Serv. v. WMATC, 302 F.2d 906 (D.C. Cir. 1962)).